Robert Jeter¹ to John Gray Blount and C. S. Shepard

1825 Feby 26th Granville County N. Carolina

Sir; abought last Christmast I Was in the Western Destrict of Tennisee Weakly County and Saw a small part of a large tract of land lying on the Obine Rivver Said to belong to C. S. Shepard by Some pople and by others to the Saim and John Gray Blunt in Company and also was informed that the land was for sale. and as I could not find any Agent for Such Gentelmen out thare and being informed that you livd in Washington Beaufort County N. Carolina I avail my self of this opertiuenity of righting to you in order to know if the lands is for sale and if so I ask the favour of you to giv me the information Whare I can find you or any other Gentleman Who is intrusted in the land that livs nearest to me as I wish to se the Gentlemen it belongs to in order to se if I could traid for one or two thousand acres of it, or pirhaps move as it is likely Some of my Neighbours wish to by also if I Should by and go out thare from yours &.c.—

Robert Jeter

N. B. I would be fond to git & answer as soon as Conveniant—if a letter should be sent by the post direct it to the post office at Jones Store Granvill Cty. N. Carolina—

R. Jeter

Addressed: Messrs. John Gray Blunt and C. S. Shepard Beaufort County Washington N. Carolina

Fav^d by M^r Mitchel

¹Robert Jeter is listed in the 1820 census as a resident of Granville County and the head of a household of eight. He represented Granville County in the North Carolina House of Commons from 1822 to 1824. Cheney, North Carolina Government, 280, 282; Potter, 1820 North Carolina Census, Granville County, 23.